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Local and General

Mr. P. I. McNally is on a visit to Crossfield this week renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. N. Coffin was a visitor to Calgary on Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Boyle was a visitor to Crossfield on Wednesday.

Mrs. Armstrong, of Calgary, is spending the week in town visiting old friends, being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ontkes.

The Hallidays journeyed to the city by car on Wednesday evening to take in "Cabiria."

The old adage "He who laughs last laughs best," came true again on Saturday last when Ivan Casey received a letter from the Education Department at Edmonton, to inform him that by some mistake his name had been omitted from the list of successful candidates at the recent examination in Grade X.

At the meeting of the Women's Institute to be held on Monday afternoon, August 26th, Miss Isabel Noble, President of the Alberta Women's Institute will be present and address the meeting. All ladies invited. To commence at 2 p.m.

This week has been like moving week in town Mr. Potter has brought his family to town, taking up residence in the Armstrongs House. Sam Collins has moved in the rooms over the Pool Hall. The new barber has taken possession of the house vacated by the Reeves.

Our local School opened this week and quite a number of new scholars were enrolled. The High School will start its session during the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McRory and Mrs. Johnson run down to Calgary on Wednesday evening by car to take in "Cabiria."

Mr. F. Collicutt, has swept the board at the Vancouver exhibition in the Hereford class. He won the sweepstakes for bull and cow of any beef breed, took first in the Hereford class for bulls, 3 years and over, 1st and 2nd for bulls 2 years and over, and then took everything else in the Hereford class.

A servant girl went to her mistress in tears, and asked permission to go home for a few days--she had a telegram telling that her mother was ill.

"Of course, go," said the mistress; "only, Maggie, do not stay longer than is necessary. We need you."

Maggie promised to return as soon as possible, and hurried away. A week passed without a word from her; then came a note by post:--

"Dear Mrs. D---, I will be back next week an please keep my place for me, mother is dying as fast as she can. To oblige--Maggie."

Strolling along the country with a party of friends, Pat was telling them about some of the beautiful spots in Ireland.

One of the party, an American, exclaimed: "Well, I guess we've got something in America that will tick all your scenery. Our falls of Niagara, with tons of water rushing over the top, is a wonderful and an unusual sight."

"A wonderful and unusual sight!" exclaimed Paddy. "That's nothing. It can't help falling over the top of the precipice. If the water stopped on the top, that would be a wonderful and unusual sight."

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Lost.--One Red and White Yearling Heifer, branded on left hip. Finder please notify Walter Landymore.

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What is a Farmer?

Economical, Social and Educational Development Has Changed the Status of the Farmer

Every four years the farmer vote is counted on a speculative basis by the leaders of the contending political parties. They vary and conflict for the reason that they based largely upon guess work, stale census statistics and a hit-or-miss conception of what a farmer is or is not.

In estimating the farmer vote to make it has been the custom to include all males of voting age in the hamlets, villages and towns that are so-called agricultural centres. It takes in the banker-farmers, the lawyer-farmers, the doctor-farmers, the retired farmers, the merchant-farmers, the merchants who sell more or less exclusively to farmers, it embraces the drifting multitude of farm hands and tenant farmers, the loafers and ne'er-do-wells of the towns and villages; and in the enfranchised states it now includes the women farmers and the farmers' wives.

It is a vast conglomerate total, with interests as divergent and to a considerable extent conflicting as are the interests of those who dwell in cities. Economic, social and educational development in the last decade, has practically "re-urbanized" the "rube vote," as politicians are fond of referring to it, in the not so distant past.—Country Gentleman.

Worms in children's work have. These pests attack the tender lining of the intestines and, if left to pursue their ravages undisturbed, will ultimately perforate the wall, because these worms are of the hook variety that cling to and devour interior surfaces. Miller's Worm Powders will not only exterminate these worms, of whatever variety, but will serve to repair the injury they have done.

"Pop!"
"Yes, my son."
"What is it and seat hog the papers talk about?"
"An end-seat hog, my son, is the fellow who gets the seat you want yourself."

During breakfast in a large munition factory on Clydeide, where nearly every nationality is represented, a group of veterans discussing Lord Derby's scheme and the different battalions which they would like to join. After various opinions have been given as to which was the best, Sandy said: "If all they see join, give me the Scottish Rifles." "All join the Royal Scots," said George. "Ah! think them the best of the lot! About Isaac here?" inquired another workman. "Oh," replied George, "Isaac's gain to join the new battalion—the Jordan Highlanders."

A boy of tender years was returning from school crying bitterly. "What alls you, my little fellow?" asked an old gentleman.
"I've lo-at the p-penny the teacher gave me for the best boy in the class!" sobbed the boy.
"Oh, well, never mind," said the old gentleman. "Here is another one that will take its place. But tell me, how did you come to lose it?"
"Cause I was the best boy in the class!" sobbed the boy.

A Monster Airship Russia's Air Terror Could Easily Fly Across the Atlantic

The "Sikorsky" heavier-than-air machine is the biggest in the world, and belongs to Russia. Christened "Ilya Iouroumenko" after a legendary hero in the middle ages—it is so large indeed that when in action men creep out along the wings and harass the enemy with special machine rifles for hours there are even reports that the rocks fixed in all advantageous positions.

The machine will carry 2,000 lbs. of explosive shells. With a cargo of fuel, instead of shells, the inventor reckons that any of the average pilots could make a trip in it with comparative ease from Liverpool to the Belle Isle Straits.

The Russian in order to minimize the labor of the observer as much as possible, has taken a leaf out of the photographer's art book. There is a camera which fits in sockets below the machine and is controlled by a simple mechanism of clockwork. In this way the flyer, living above the enemy's front, is able to take a continuous photographic record of the positions lying below him.

From these photographs intelligence officers construct accurate maps of the enemy's line, and the positions of his batteries, which, printed, lithographically in various scales are used by the staff, and also by commanders of battalions in the front line so that they may know exactly where beyond that wavering hedge of barbed wire which as often as not is as much as they can see of the enemy.

This is of course done in all armies of the world, but in Russia it is done here is a further proof of the way in which Russia has profited from the lesson broken by the strain of last year.

The Vicar (discussing the Daylight Saving Bill)—But why have you put the small clock on and not the big one?
Old Man—Well, it's like this, sir, grandfather's clock 'ave been telling 'th' truth for ninety year, and a cant find 'i' my heart to make a liar o' 'em now; but 'i' clock, 'e be a German make, so 'i be all right for 'em.

Gasoline Fires
Fire accidents and explosions of gasoline are usually the result of carelessness. Gasoline and things giving off gasoline vapors should never be brought into the same room with a fire, a stove containing fire, anything giving off sparks, where matches are or are likely to be lighted, or where smoking is going on. Gasoline in the room is a danger signal—"safety first."

Kerosene should never be put into the gasoline can. Kerosene in its own field will overflow in a dangerous way if the lamp or can is filled perfectly full. Leave some empty space at the top. An oil fire cannot be put out with water. Sand, earth, flour or meal will extinguish it if the flame is completely covered. When a person's clothes take fire, wrap him in a carpet of blanket. Don't run to get water.

Mrs. Allen: "My husband says he is miserable all the day if he hears his ministerial band." Lady friend: "Pshaw! I dare say an ordinary band with soap and water would do him just as much good!"

According to Dr. Allison secretary of Ministry of Munitions, Great Britain is producing seven times more gunpowder sulphuric acid than it did when the war began.

Graft in Russia A Country Where the Grafter Works in Daylight

Graft in Russia is on such a naïve scale that it becomes grotesque. The Russian representative of a foreign shipbuilder in St. Petersburg designed for the Russian government in 1905 the plans for a battleship, the steel contracted for, an army of workmen assembled at Odesa, and in the course of time it was reported that the battleship was ready for launching.

The government of the previous power ally broke a champagne bottle over her bow, and a month later she sat on sea on her last trip. Then news came that the battleship had sunk somewhere in the Black Sea. Someone was suspicious and an investigation was ordered; and it developed that the battleship had never been built at all.

At the most serious epoch of the Russian retreat last summer, when whole divisions were annihilated by cause of the lack of ammunition for their cannon, I met an Englishman who had come to Russia three months before with a shipment of shrapnel. He said it was still at Archangel—because he would not bribe the railways and ordnance officials to ship it to the front.—John Reed in the July Metropolitan.

I fell from a building and received what the doctor called a very bad sprained ankle, and told me I must not walk on it for three weeks. I got MINARD'S LINIMENT and in six days I was walking again. I think it the best LINIMENT E. LAUNDREY.

Edmonton.

The production of shells in Great Britain is at a greater rate than Germany and Austria combined.

The Oil for the Athlete.—In rubbing liniment on the muscles of the body after a race, the athlete must use the oil for the Athlete. It renders the muscles and sinews pliable, takes the heat out of them for strains that may be put upon them. It stands pre-eminent for this purpose, and athletes who for years have been using it can testify to its value as a lubricant.

A Poser for German Logic
The logical German mind will find it hard to comprehend Brivine must have risen 75 1-4 to 61 1-2 since the great naval battle that made Kaiser Wilhelm the "Admiral of the Atlantic."

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective, is mild.

Tommy's Aunt—Won't you have another piece of cake, Tommy? Tommy (on a visit)—No, I thank you. Tommy's Aunt—You seem to be suffering from loss of appetite. Tommy That ain't the reason, 'cause I'm sufferin' from 'is, 'tis politeness.

The Vernacular
A Chicago newspaperman tells of a confusion received by his journal from a newspaperman in Australia seeking information on certain points.

Mr. Editor, "The letter ran, 'in your paper, under the heading 'Election Returns,' appeared the following statement: 'As the count proceeded it became evident that Jones had been scratched repeatedly by the women voters.'"

"Inasmuch as the above situation is not clear to me, I beg to ask information on the point."
"Where was the count going?"
"Was he German?"
"What had Mr. Jones done that the ladies should desire to scratch him?"

This Has a Moral
When the rich man brought his son for entrance to the state college he told the president he wished a short course.

"They boy can never learn all you teach here," said the father. "Can you arrange it for him so he'll go through quick?"
"Oh, yes," said the president: "he can take a short course. It all depends upon what you want to make of him. When you want to make an oak he takes a hundred years, but he takes only two months to make a scrubo."

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

An army chaplain at the front came upon a sergeant and a small detachment who were trying hard to move a wagon which was hopelessly embedded in mud. "Can I be of any service to you?" the benevolent divine inquired.

"Yes, sir," the sergeant replied. "You can be help us by making yourself scarce." "Making myself scarce," the clergyman repeated in surprise. "Yes, sir. You see, the men can't very well say to the horses what they understand when you're about."

"You vowed it would be your aim to make my life one long dream of happiness. And to think that I believed you!"
"That's nothing. I believed it myself at the time!"

W. N. U. 1115

Rheumatism, A Sneaking Disease Has at Last Met Its Conqueror

Throbbing Muscles and Swollen Joints Made Well

RUB ON NERVILINE

Old age knows no foe more subtle, more unrelenting than rheumatism. At first only a grumbling pain is felt. But, alas, it settles in the joints and muscles, and finally tortures its victims.

To-day the disease may be in the muscles of the back, thigh, shoulder or neck—to-morrow in the joints of the hand, toes, arms or legs it may work with redoubled fury.

Whether the pain is constant or occasional, makes no difference to "Nerviline."

Because other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged. Nerviline has cured the worst of cases. It has brought health to those in the deepest

despair, has ended years of awful suffering for those who never hoped to be well again.

There is a marvellous healing power in Nerviline which it derives from the extracts and juices of certain rare herbs and roots. It always almost magically the awful pain that the muscles, stiffened joints are eased and limbered up, the old time feeling of depression is cast off, and once again Nerviline brings the sufferer to buoyant, vigorous lasting good health.

Every home needs good health for carache, toothache, headache, neuralgia, lumbago, sciatica, stiff neck, chest colds and sore throat. Wherever there is pain, congestion or inflammation, Nerviline will cure it.

Large family size bottle 50c; trial size 25c. all dealers, or the Catarhzone Co., Kingston, Canada.



Community Intelligence

In large cities the death rate from infectious disease has made a wonderful drop in the last fifteen years. City dwellers are patting themselves on the back and pointing rather scornfully to their country cousins who have had no such improvement. They are saying now that all the typhoid fever comes from the country, reaching the city only when some vacationist brings it back or a dairyman carries it along his route.

In a measure their position is warranted, but it is not because of the superior acumen of the city man or the inferior intelligence of his country neighbor. It is simply because cities have been compelled to have boards of health, which have insisted upon water filtration plants, upon sanitation in all dwellings upon medical inspection of school children, upon sanitary disposal of waste and a score of other things against which the city man often protests, but to which he is forced to submit.

The remedy for country folk is to allow community intelligence to prevail over personal prejudice, and likewise to organize for good health. The best goal to work for is a full-time county health officer.—The Country Gentleman.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Only Going One Way
A German spy caught red-handed was on his way to be shot.

"I think you are through," he growled, "to march me back to this rain and slush."

"Well," said the "Tommy" who was escorting him, "what about me? I have to go back in it."

"My word, what a bit o' luck!" chuckled his friend. "What did you get?"

"My beastly luck again. It's always dogging me. I was in the grand piano department."

Your wife seems to be busy these days.
Yes: She is to address a woman's meeting. Ah, working on her address? No on her dress.

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Red Cross Notes.

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Crossfield Sewing Circle Tea \$1.10
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Work: Crossfield Sewing Circle, 13 M.-T. bandages, 13 T. bandages.
Inverlea Sewing Circle, 49 T. bandages, 3 M.-T. bandages, 1 suit pyjamas.
Beaver Dam Sewing Circle, 9 M.-T. bandages, 10 T. bandages.
Mrs. M. Thomas, 2 surgical caps, 6 trian. bandages, 11 towels.
Mrs. Bray, 1 pair socks.
" Jessiman, 1 surgical shirt.
" M. Faquharson, 2 suits pyjamas.
Mrs. J. Havens, 10 trian. bandages.
" D. Ingham, 4 washrags.
" Tweedale, 1 suit pyjamas.
Miss Evelyn Landimore, 10 trian. bandages.
Mrs. Thurlow, 8 trian. bandages.

A shipment was made last week consisting of the following articles, 17 pairs socks, 72 washrags, 8 trian. slings, 560 T. bandages, 456 trian. bandages, 4 day shirts, 6 bed jackets, 7 suits pyjamas, 3 helpless shirts, 17 surgical shirts, 211 M.-T. bandages, 4 dressing gowns. Total 1,365 articles, 6 parcels.

The Crossfield Sewing Circle meets this week at the home of Mrs. M. Thomas and next week with Mrs. Wolegde.

Amendment to Ordinance Respecting Hire Receipts and Conditional Sales

At the last Session of the Legislature an amendment was made to the Ordinance respecting Hire Receipts and Conditional Sales providing that in order to preserve the rights contained therein, a renewal statement of the amount still due for principal and interest and of all payments made on accounts of lien notes and hire receipts shall be filed within thirty days of the expiration of two years from the first filing, and thereafter renewals shall be filed within thirty days of the expiration of one year from the day of the former filing. Where the first filing was made two years or more before the passing of the amendment the renewal shall be filed within six months of the date of the amendment.

The amendment was passed on the 19th day of April, 1916, so that the time for registering renewals of lien notes and hire receipts originally filed two years or more prior to the 19th day of April last will expire on the 15th day of October next.

Renewals must have an affidavit attached setting forth that the statement is true and that the sale or bailment writing is not kept on foot for any fraudulent purpose or to defeat, delay or prejudice creditors and they must be filed in the registration district where the property is situated at the time of the making of the statement. Parties holding lien notes or hire receipts who do not file renewal statements as required lose their lien on the goods or chattels.

WEDDING.

On Aug. 23rd, at the Pro-Cathedral of the Redeemer, Calgary, by Dean Paget, Thomas Penton, of Pine Lake, younger son of Major-Gen. Penton, Bournemouth, England to Miss Kate Hkin, of Crossfield.

LOST.

Lost, a Metal Badge of the 49th Battalion, between Mr. A. A. Halle and 9 miles east.

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Many country newspapers in the United States and Canada are devoting considerable space lately to articles showing the value of farmers patronizing the merchants in their own shopping centre and district. "Country Life in Canada," for June, has a lengthy article on "Community Construction," from which we quote only a few paragraphs.

What The Town Means

What then, friends, does the little old home town mean for all of us. It is the social center of our community. More than that it is the educational, religious, political and commercial center of our community. Can you imagine, for example, a vast agricultural territory like Saskatchewan—leaving upon league of pleasant prairie dotted with farms—without every few miles a "home town," a community center for the surrounding country. What would happen were some economic earthquake so devastate every small town in such a great territory? Would not the whole social and commercial fabric of the province suffer—and were the earthquake to spread indefinitely in its effects, would not the whole of Western Canada suffer irremediable loss?

Cause and Effect

There is a reason for this. We must have a cause to obtain the reaction of an effect. We must look at the question of buying and selling in terms of their local effect. That is, every dollar sent out of a community that could be spent in the community represents a certain monetary loss to that district. Do you doubt that statement? If so, the writer can assure you that, from the mail order standpoint alone, there are thousands of communities on this continent systematically robbing themselves; communities who, with wide open eyes, are doing their best to eliminate their local town, to commit social and commercial suicide in a local sense. These communities are the "earthquake" already outlined—and their effect may be more slow but is nevertheless equally disastrous. Do you want proof? Well, commercial records show that a large U. S. mail order house did a business of \$191,000,000 in 1914, and paid dividends of approximately \$21,000,000! How many dollars of that vast sum, think you, returned to one of the communities who helped to build that vast turnover—those immense annual dividends? True, they got the goods, but were they of the quality expected by the individuals who wrote the orders? But what about the dollars? They had gone forever—were paid away by that corporation to factories, sources of supply, employees—and also into reserve funds and dividends. The small center robbed itself to support the far off city—and with no compensating circulation of currency.



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Estray.

On the premises of James Robertson, Sec. 14, 28, 2, w. of 5th. One Red Cow, with White Calf at foot. Cow aged about 4 years. Branded CR on left shoulder.

JOHN LENNON, Brand Reader.

On the Premises of G. W. Church (Madden Ranch), Sec. 22, R. 3, Tp. 28, w. 5th. Brown Filly, aged 2 years. Three white feet, and white on face. Branded on left thigh.

JOHN LENNON, Brand Reader.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH- WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$500.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, stony or scrubby land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

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What Russians Without Vodka

Beneficial Effects of a Sober Russia Are Remarkable

A keen observer of the conditions in France has declared that the most striking feature of the country is the absence of drunkenness. In Russia a most remarkable improvement in the social life and national spirit has followed the prohibition of vodka. When war broke out vodka was the national drink. It contains forty per cent. of alcohol and its ravages had already led to a big temperance movement when war and the Czar's ukase banished the fiery spirit from the Empire. The government faced the tremendous loss of revenue entailed by prohibition, and their decision has been wonderfully justified by the revolutionizing of Russian life, especially in the small towns and villages. At first it was decided to apply prohibition to the cities of mobilization only, but the gravity of the crisis with which the country was faced led to its extension through the period of the war. What are the results in Russia of this sweeping change in the drinking habits of the people?

The change from national drunkenness to national sobriety is so marked and its effects have cut so deeply into the life of the Russian people that prohibition is now a permanent. Professor J. V. Simpson of Edinburgh, describing his experience in "The Sobering of Russia," a volume published by Constable, writes:

"Every aspect of our village life has been changed, said the leader of one of the parties in the Duma to Mr. Simpson. 'Latterly, drunkenness does not come to the village assemblies because they were continually submitted to insult by the drunken element. The women are enthusiastic; no longer are they insulted or beaten. They receive their husbands on the street. The chief of police in a district in the Government of Moscow said to a friend of mine who had been in the country for two months:

"The suicide rate has dropped and rowdiness has practically disappeared. The change is so marked that it is a pleasure to live. Employers of labor report increased efficiency all round from 15 per cent. The consumption of beer and wine are still on sale in some municipalities, and there is a dread in many quarters that, if permitted to extend, the consumption of these may, in time, replace vodka and menace the social and industrial life of the Empire which has benefited so greatly by the recent restrictions. At present public opinion is not sufficiently organized to take up the cause of beer and wine, as well as the prohibition of vodka. The consumption of these was negligible while vodka remained the national drink."

Temperance reformers in Russia place great reliance on the influence of the Czar in determining the future of the drink problem, as the question of permanent prohibition was decided as bound up with the promises made by the Emperor. The experiment in Russia, as France has found, contrary to the old-time opinion, a nation may be made sober by Act of Parliament. Let it be decided to rectify the evil habits of a country and give it an opportunity to do so, and the great peril to play its part in the spirit that animates France and Russia in their just and noble fight against civil rights.—Toronto Globe.

About the Knecker

One Instance in Which the Knicker Got What Was Coming to Him

Do you know what we think is the best story in the Bible? It may surprise you, but 'tis the one about Noah and the flood. We say this even in the face of educated folks who turn up their noses and declare the flood story a fake. You remember that Noah had to work a long time on the ark. It was an uphill business, too, at best, to go on sweating and toiling day after day in the hot sun out there on dry land, while the hammer and saw club sat around spitting tobacco juice on his boards, whittling up his soft pine with old jack-knives, and telling him what a fool he was to expect a rain in a country that was too dry to grow alfalfa. But he kept at it: finally the flood came, and every mother's son of the croakers was drowned. This is the only instance we know of either in sacred or profane literature where the knicker got exactly what was coming to him.

Emperor A Daylight Saver

Citizens of neutral countries who have recently arrived in Rome from Vienna state that Emperor Francis Joseph was never so well in his life as now. He is cheerful and bright according to these witnesses, for he rises in the morning at 3 o'clock and breakfasts at 6. If this is true, it is to be that the aged monarch thrives on adversity and misfortune. He has had more worries, domestic and political, than usually fall to the lot of Sovereigns, and today his country is facing a crisis full of dire possibilities. Millions of his subjects must be worrying about the outlook if he is not—Montreal Gazette.

Menace of the Fly

Swat the Fly, But Beware of the Dead Gnat

The tendency at this time of the year of the health authorities in various cities of the middle west to offer premiums of 10 cents a hundred for dead flies in connection with their municipal clean-up campaigns brings up for discussion an important question of sanitation and hygiene. If a fly, alive, is a possible bearer of death through the disease germs it carries on its body, how do children swat the fly and then carefully preserve the decomposing bodies for the coveted 10 cents a hundred escape infection through the same germ?

Apparently, through sent in these wars of extermination, those in authority have overlooked a most dangerous feature of the movement. Swat the fly, of course, but burn him up immediately because he is more filthy dead than he ever could be alive. His composition adds to the menace.

To instruct children to "swat flies" and safely dispose of them until they have enough to bring in and collect 10 cents a hundred seems nothing short of a gross violation of modern sanitation. It would be a dangerous practice for grown people who took every possible precaution against modern sanitation. Children to carry dead flies with their hands and then perhaps handle food stuffs, is almost a sure way to spread every disease that flies are known to carry.

The only possible way, from a sanitary standpoint, in which flies could be caught and preserved for the extermination of the summer vermin, is a sheet of sticky fly paper which embalsms the flies' body with a glue that is almost impossible to get off. This might add to the difficulty of estimating the exact number of flies, but it would be a practical purpose. And it would protect children from probable infection through the flies' decomposition. The fly campaign is supposed to be directed.

Testing Advertising

The Newspaper is the Best Medium Through Which to Secure Results

Looking recently with a man who has made a great success as an advertising salesman in another place this question of the value of newspaper advertising. A merchant says it does not pay to advertise, what do you tell him?

"I just ask him this: What proportion of the population of this town has been inside your store during the past two months?"

"Very few merchants ever claim they have had 10 per cent. of the population. Most of the non-advertisers would be glad to get one per cent. A lot of them probably get only a small fraction of one per cent. with any regularity."

"Then I say, how are all the rest of the people going to know about your goods? How can they tell whether it would be for their advantage to patronize you or not? If you have had good values at special bargains, how do they know about it? If you have had a great sale, how do they know about it? The great majority that pass give you only a glance. You are getting their business, but they have done nothing to interest them."

"Then I go on to say there are many ways to get some of the trade now slipping past them. They can send around solicitors from door to door, distribute circulars, handbills, or advertise in newspapers. The newspaper notice is read carefully by the whole community. If the notice is turned down, and besides, advertising is twenty times cheaper than canvassing and handbills. It is a waste to the waste baskets, while newspapers are read. If you don't care to use any of these methods, I tell you most of the people of this town will continue to pass you by without knowing anything about your goods."

Sat With Serenations

How quickly do we become accustomed to things!

The greatest naval battle in the history of the world took place on May 31, and in six days it had passed into history.

Thousands of men found their graves in that conflict. It may have been a nine-day war, but it was not one and a half days in the neighborhood in the meantime.

Kitchener's death furnished a few more days' sensation; then it, too, passed quietly into history.

When the war broke out the daily papers published the casualty list in capital letters. Today the list appears in small type.

Have we become insensible to the horrors of the war? When peace comes the coast, during which rough weather was encountered. Finally the general Larry was discovered hanging on for dear life with scarcely enough interest remaining to care whether port was made or not.

"Isn't that a pretty sight?" said the seasoned sailor sympathetically.

"Why, thousands have died who were got hurt as sick as I am now."

Mr. Bingley—Where is the bargain counter? Shopkeeper—There are several. What size you looking for?

Mr. Bingley—I'm looking for my wife's.

It Pays to Stack Grain

Many Good Arguments in Favor of Grain Stacking

Looking more to the saving of labor than to the saving of grain, many adhere to the plan of threshing from the shock. When everything works right, threshing is all right, but too often so many things come up that cause delay that actually getting the grain in the stack becomes a great deal of help while it lasts, but one good thing about it is that it does not last long. The field is cleared and the grain can then be plowed; there are no stacks to spoil because of poor stacking and none to be struck by lightning and burned.

However much that may be said in favor of threshing from the shock, there remains much to be said in favor of stacking. Grain will do to go into the stack and become a loss if it will to thresh. Consequently it often happens the entire acreage may be saved by stacking the grain, and then, perhaps, when will come a serious rain that will further prolong the time of threshing; in the meantime, grain in the stack is safe while the machine is working. In the meantime, little is lost, but if it does the loss may amount to considerable. Every breakdown, every dew, every shower means a delay in the work, and all this time the grain in the stack becomes a loss if it is not actually occurred.

The help proposition is no small thing in these columns. The firm will of England would grow under the ever-increasing stress of this war, the fact that the British nation is well as the nation itself would manifest in their adaptation to the war. The fact that the British nation is well as the nation itself would manifest in their adaptation to the war. The fact that the British nation is well as the nation itself would manifest in their adaptation to the war.

Still another bad feature is having to help back those who have helped you. No matter how badly your corn needs cultivation or how much you need to get it out of the field, you must go and help the neighbor who is going to do so. It is a case of being on the job when the cylinder is running. The grain in the stack is able to wait without danger of loss if his stacking machine is not so urgent before threshing, and then, when he does thresh, machine work goes through the "swat" will be of better quality. It usually takes quite a loss, however, to convince the farmer who is in the habit of threshing from the shock that there really is something besides a sentimental practice in the "swat" in grain stacking.—H. H. in Successful Farming.

An Italian applied for naturalization papers. He swore allegiance to the United States and answered several questions satisfactorily. At last the Judge asked him to recite the oath of citizenship or organization identical to the Government of the United States. This was too much for the Italian to understand, and he was silent. The Judge explained the meaning, and the Italian, after a stream of understanding overheard the face of the Italian, and he replied: "sure!"—The Democrat.

"There's no danger," said the doctor. "It's only a carbuncle coming on 'back of your neck. But you must keep your eye on it."

PROTECTING TIMBER

How the Quebec limit-holders protect their timber from fire. A modern look-out tower on top of a mountain keeps guard all day and telephones to his fellow rangers in the valleys below. What size you looking for?

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Swat the Fly

Cleanliness and Drainage Will Do Away With Flies and Mosquitoes

The place to swat the fly is in the manure piles where they hatch. It is the horse manure that does most of the mischief. It is on the fields every few days and flies will be scarce around the premises. Have fly traps around the porches, sweep the garbage pail emptied and the privy vault screened or the contents dusted with dry dust or ashes. Use screened porches and windows. The fly is a dangerous pest.

Mosquitoes hatch in the stagnant pools, sloughs and mud holes. An empty tomato can that was thrown in the rubbish heap may catch a little rain and soon hatch out thousands of mosquitoes to annoy you. A charge of dynamite in the bottom of a stagnant pool may open the ground so that the water will drain away. "sketchers" into "Kingdom Come" if you can't drain the pools with a little hand spade. Use the film of kerosene or crude oil over the water of a slough or pond will keep mosquitoes from hatching. This course renders the water unfit to drink. In fact, stock should not be compelled, to drink water that is so full of mosquitoes.

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Germany's Dangerous Foe

Major Morant Writes in the B-rin Tagblatt His Opinion of Britain's Strength

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Declining Birth Rate

American Writer Looks to the Rural Population for the Salvation of the Country

Society in this day is menaced both from the top and the bottom. The rich and well-to-do are, for the most part, childless, while the very rich find their greatest incentive in the divorce. On the other hand, the agency extant for the destruction of the home and the desecration of marriage. At the other end of the social scale, the most effective agencies are the medical and philanthropic agencies, the weaklings and the unfit, and so prolonging the existence of many who after life's titful fever leave behind them a generation ill-fitted to carry on the business of life. By reason of these two causes antagonistic to the growth and health of society, would be in a bad way that the yearly influx of foreigners with their large broods, presently to be molded into citizens and assimilated in our complex yet homogeneous population.

There are nowhere to be found healthier or more wholesome young people than have been produced in America, and yet those of us who are moving toward the sunset, can discern much that is calculated to fill us with apprehension. Those who have passed beyond middle life can recall in their respective neighborhoods, families of ten or twelve who were once known to the district school, children born of worthy, God-fearing, energetic parents, who fulfilled the expectations had of them, did their part nobly in the world and in the home, and in their day and generation. But this sturdy strain is in danger of dying out, leaving behind them the weak and the decline of civic virtue. Too many marriages in our day are marriages of convenience, where the wife is for the sake of ease and luxury, and without any regard to the welfare of society.

The saviors of our country are on the farms if anywhere. To the sturdy, industrious farmer, the country is the task of perpetuating a race of men and women fitted to carry on the government of the country. With such a paramount responsibility resting on his shoulders, he naturally becomes, we care for the birth, nurture and training of their children as the nation's most precious asset. He and his wife, and all will be well with the republic. To this, love and reverence for the land, the most earnest of the home, and the utmost care must be exercised in the selection of the companions of their children. The books they read, it is comparatively easy to mold the plastic mind of childhood to love and desire the better, higher things, but extremely difficult to eradicate a wrong idea that has become fixed in the mature intellect.—Exchange.

Preparedness

Valuable Suggestions on Preserving of Fruits and Farm Produce

It may seem hardly to talk of preserving, but by the time the next number of the Furrow appears, the talk of preserving will be a reality. "Preserving" would be as much too late, so as it is to be a talk on getting, or being of the preservation of the fruit, loss in handling our fruits and other supplies, we will lay our plans before the parcel post made a connecting link between city customer and the farmer, and the farmer will learn to put up fine goods on a profitable market for all his home.

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Some days the supply of cherries, currants, berries or other material is so abundant that it is a waste to preserve, but if made into jelly, conserve, marmalade, cheese, lard, butter, or other things that are ready to eat, they are ready to eat, and the prices that such goods command pay for all the trouble taken in their preparation.

Right here is where one part of the preparedness for the battle against loss should be made, by the early purchase of supplies of sugar, spices, curries, paraffin and other things that may be needed in the war. Most of these things every reader knows all about, but some may not know that there is available, in different sizes, a fibre cup, with air-tight cover, that is better than glass for shipping purposes, because it is practically unbreakable and much lighter. For home use, it is fine, because it is opaque and does away with the need for a dark closet for storage, or the tedious wrapping to exclude the light.

Sometimes a quick market can be made for your goods as fast as prepared. With other customers, where a family is small, the demand for a variety, and where one would take a dozen cups of one sort or the other, the demand is small. What then? Well, it is simply another phase of being prepared, for in the first shock or carnage of the first frost-pitted wild grape, or the even later barberry, the materials are at hand for the making of a variety of products. It is not necessary to have a large stock of one sort could, with little trouble, make up a variety of products. The materials are at hand for the making of a variety of products. It is not necessary to have a large stock of one sort could, with little trouble, make up a variety of products. The materials are at hand for the making of a variety of products.

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Then Lord Eastling, thinking there was nothing to be gained by evasion of the truth, answered simply—

"I'm following you because I believe that you have been tampering with Mrs. Finchen's pearls, and that you have come up to town to dispose of the property you have annexed."

It cost the brother-in-law of Paul Payne a manifest effort to say this, but he was stung to the point of desperation so certain was he that such a loss as that experienced at the Court, followed by this hurried journey up to town on the part of Paul, must be connected with the illicit disposal of his wife's husband.

For a moment his bluntness took Paul's breath away. Then he said suddenly—

"You've behaved like a fool before. I scarcely know how to qualify your conduct now. You are a very slacker."

"Well, I'll repeat what I've said before for any one you like, and you can take proceedings for slander," said Lord Eastling steadily.

Paul shrugged his shoulders.

"You know I can't do that. If you have no sense of public duty, I must have, if only for my wife's sake."

The mention of his sister irritated Lord Eastling afresh.

"For her sake you might, I should think, have kept away from fresh scandals."

Seeing that he could not get rid of him, Paul changed his tone and said to laugh.

"Look here," he said, "this is really absurd, and we must put a stop to it. Come along with me and if you are not satisfied that my proceedings are wholly correct, why I'll give you leave to hand me over to the police on any charge you please."

As he spoke, he put his hand through Lord Eastling's arm, and dragged him to a taxi, which they entered together.

"I've only come up," he explained as he gave a direction to the driver, "to call on my tailor, and to get a few things that I want, so if you are bored before the taxi gets to the door, only yourself to thank, you know."

Lord Eastling said nothing. He was in an awkward position, not believing his brother-in-law to be involved in the loss of the pearls, but not so sure that he was right in having accused him.

He recognized the fact that he himself was even now in a position of advice than Finchen was, and he made up his mind that he would take the first opportunity of going to a solicitor and unburdening himself to him concerning his doubts.

In the meantime he resolved that he would accept Payne's challenge, and at least make it impossible for his brother-in-law to carry out the plan of which he had accused him.

In the meantime, however, the situation was a delicate one. It is difficult to keep up a conversation on indifferent topics with a man whom you have just accused of flagrant dishonesty, and who has practically replied to that accusation by treating you as a fool.

But it was better to make the attempt, so Lord Eastling felt, as he sat back in the cab and left it to his companion to make conversation.

This task occupied the taxi for a man of the resource of Paul Payne. He began to discuss the chances of the candidate in the coming election, and spoke so well on the subject that he interested the younger man against his will.

Again and again Lord Eastling had to remind himself that he was dealing with a man who was a good deal of watching; for Paul, as he appeared, to grow interested in what he said, contrived to exercise a kind of fascination on his hearer.

They got out at a tailor's, as suggested by Paul, who laughingly invited his companion to accompany him into the premises. Lord Eastling doggedly accepted the invitation, and not only went with his brother-in-law to the various tradesmen to whom he gave orders, but kept a sharp eye upon the handsome Paul throughout the proceedings at each of the places where they called.

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After a couple of hours Paul suggested that they should go to the well-known restaurant in the Strand and have luncheon, and Lord Eastling, agreeing, they went in together. Here, the younger man, keenly on the alert in spite of his pretence of having forgotten his own errand, noted that two men, who were sitting at one of the tables, glanced up as Paul entered, and immediately looked at each other.

They were dressed in smart clothes of a sporting cut, although they did not appear quite at ease in them. Lord Eastling took care not to appear to notice them, but presently he saw Payne scribble something on the margin of the bill of fare.

He went on talking as he did so, and the action would have passed, to less observant eyes, for the mere idle occupation of a man who is waiting for his luncheon and finds himself with a pencil in his hand. Lord Eastling watched the card as he passed possessed himself of the card, but he held it stretched his arm out, got another card from an unoccupied table, and handed it to the waiter in the most innocent manner in the world.

Lord Eastling went on talking, but kept his eyes and ears open.

A few minutes later one of the two men at the other table called to the waiter to bring them the menu, and Paul, while he answered his companion's question, handed to the waiter the bill of fare on the edge of which he had been writing.

Lord Eastling watched the card as the waiter carried it to the two men, watched them as they passed it from the waiter to the other, and had no longer any doubt that, but for his presence, these three, the two men at the table and his brother-in-law, would have been luncheon at the same table.

He was right.

For the two men were Brady Gane and Will Evans, and the card which he handed to Paul that morning making an appointment at the restaurant for two o'clock.

CHAPTER XII

Paul who was a very able-bodied man, proposed champagne. But Lord Eastling felt the need of a perfectly clear head, and he mistrusted the result of his brother-in-law's ally.

Presently Paul's flow of talk grew intermittent, and his usual amiable manner gradually changed to one of bitterness.

That began to recognize the fact that this young man, whose wife he accused, was now such a powerful antagonist as he had supposed. It was Lord Eastling's turn to be civil to the other, and the talk, going as luncheon went on.

In the meantime he noted that the two men at the other table were silent and watchful.

Paul leaned forward on his elbows abruptly.

"Don't you think," he said in a low voice, keeping his eyes fixed on the waiter, "that that fellow is a terrible anger in them, that you are taking up a position which you will find it impossible to maintain?"

Lord Eastling hesitated.

"Well, anyhow I must be the best judge of the position," he said to take him at last slowly.

"Quite so; but you will have to make your mind definitely, by and by, as to whether it is to be peace or war between us."

(To be continued)

More Shell Orders for Canada

Additional shell orders have come to Canada as a result of financial credit arranged by the Canadian Bankers' Association, and further orders on similar lines are now in prospect.

It is announced that the advances made by the Bankers' Association for the month of May, 1915, have been made this month. The credits were arranged last winter by Sir Thomas White, and on the strength of them fresh orders were immediately placed by the War Office through the Imperial Munitions Board.

All the banks responded willingly and generously. And the contracts which resulted have kept many undertakings going after their initial underwriting had been exhausted.

The plan has worked so successfully that it will be continued and the munitions industry seems assured.

A Good Dog Too

A British credit had considerable trouble with a batch of German prisoners who behaved in a high-handed and insolent manner. On one occasion, one of the latter, drawing himself to his full height, exclaimed: "Don't you know I was a 'Fouquieria'?"

It did not matter if he was a Newfoundland dog, as the British bulldog, "I've got to get on my feet in the British bulldog," said the British bulldog.

Little Ennise was attending a her first class in domestic science, and was asked to tell briefly the secret of making a good custard.

"I don't know," she replied, "but I have it in the cow."

War and Weather

No Reason to Believe That the Canonading in Europe Effects the Weather Here

In answer to a query as to whether the extraordinary weather in any way has been brought about by the canonading in Europe, the following statement has been made by the Meteorological Office at Toronto:

"Historical records enable the meteorologist to draw a rainfall curve in Asia Minor back 3,000 years, with probably some degree of accuracy. More recently, the study of the growth of the yellow pine of Arizona and the sequoia tree of California, as evidenced by their rings, has also enabled officers of the Carnegie Institute to draw a rainfall curve for 3,000 years. The curves agree fairly well and show that the climate has been pulsatory throughout this long period of time. The years 1812 and 1816 were especially marked by a great depression of temperature in Canada and the Maritime United States; and 1816 was afterwards known as the year without a summer."

"Many summers in the forties were very cold and wet, also in the sixties, and in the seventies and eighties."

"In Toronto since April last there has been a slightly greater rainfall than the average for the corresponding period, but there have been at least ten other three-month periods—June to August, for example—when there was a much greater rainfall."

"There is not the slightest reason to suppose that the weather in Europe has any appreciable effect. I believe it to be negligible in the gigantic work of nature."

The variations in rainfall from year to year through long periods are connected with the general circulation of the atmosphere, and the weather in the Maritime provinces has been nearly average, and Newfoundland has been dry, and for two months the weather has been exceptionally fine and bright."

"The sequence probably is a German battle affecting the Equatorial regions and leading to changes in the strength of the trade winds and their ocean currents, and a little later the wind circulation and cyclonic formations of the middle and higher latitudes."

"The reason why there should not soon be a change to normal conditions," Montreal Free Press Herald.

Increase in Canada's Trade

Exports of manufactured articles from Canada during April and May of this year are shown by a statement recently issued. These amounted in May to \$2,344,741, and in the two months to \$4,689,482, or an increase of 355, against \$1,612,149 in May, 1914, and \$3,342,807 for the two-month period.

Another feature of the statement is that the value of the exports in goods and in dutiable commodities. The latter in May amounted to \$39,740,607, as compared with \$19,851,612 for the same month last year; imports of free goods increased from \$14,539,190 in May, 1914, to \$29,857,481 in May, 1915.

Imports of all classes including food and bullion, totalled \$70,256,181, against \$35,046,944 for the same period last year.

Export of agricultural products for May increased to \$4,733,750, an increase of \$3,687,623. Substantial increases are also shown in other exports.

The Envy of Europe

"The Lewis gun," specially designed by the British War Office, to meet the need of armies, in obtaining most of its range, is a statistic, which will be published shortly, will show the Lewis gun to be a very effective weapon.

"The envy of Europe" in the Arsenal service the Lewis gun is "the bullet," in character, and the facility with which it can be handled in the air.

It is reported that the Berlin authorities consider it the most serious enemy which the Zeppelins have in their flights across the North Sea.

Certainly Cheap at the Price

His face was pinched and drawn. Walter Hargrave, a poor fellow, was way among the bustling crowd.

"Kind sir," he suddenly exclaimed, "will you not give me a loaf of bread for my wife and little ones?"

The stranger regarded him not unkindly.

"Far be it from me," he rejoined, "to take advantage of your destitution. Keep dear wife and little ones; I do not want them."—Tit-Bits.

The U. S. and Germany

Huns Have a Grievance Against President Wilson for Interfering With Their Plans

A grievance that looms large in every German mind, and apparently cannot be removed by any argument, has just been voiced by Admiral von Koester, who not long ago was the head of the kaiser's fleet. Not considerations of right or international law, he says, but the political and commercial circumstances, "have forced the recent diminution of U-boat activities."

Those activities he insisted were warranted against an enemy who used mines and aeroplanes—nothing should have been, for once, against humanity and justice, who supplied to Germany's enemies the arms and munitions, among which they could not continue the war against her.

Again in this there is the curious assumption that to delay or prevent German victory is essentially and necessarily a crime, that it makes any professions of virtue the manifestations of the basest hypocrisy.

At the same time, apparently, the possibility of adequate and good reasons for favoring the Allies or for prolonging the war is completely excluded.

That does not find excuses for changing old rules when the chances of war should be, for once, made to the advantage of the foes of Germany to herself.

Of course, in talking like this, Admiral von Koester is not speaking for all Germans, and especially he did not speak for Germany's responsible statesmen.

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Response of Colonies

Hon. A. J. Balfour Delivers Stirling Address at Parliamentary Dinner in London Recently

The Empire Parliamentary Association gave a luncheon at the House of Commons in London recently in honor of the parliamentary delegates from the overseas dominions. Right Hon. J. Lowther presided and among the speakers were A. J. Balfour, Sir George Foster and Senator Stuart of South Africa.

"In welcoming you this afternoon," said Mr. Balfour, "we do so in a spirit of kinship and not of spectators in a great drama, but of those who are bearing an all-important share in the work that is going on on every front."

"Before me all of us discussed the great political organism, with a parallel in history, and perhaps each man had asked himself whether, when the moment of stress or danger occurred, these bonds of common sympathy and common ideal rather than of legal obligation would be the strength of a great struggle. All doubts, however, have been dispelled. The common ideal of liberty and justice, the marvels of history, one which the empire historian of the future will look back upon with pride and familiarity can state."

"Australia and New Zealand are the great world powers, the generous theoretical and political will of a great joint effort, in the best of its kind, to maintain the ideals of freedom and liberty which the world has known, and to which we have come without reserve."

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Warts are unsightly blemishes, and corns are painful growths. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove them.

Admiral Jellicoe has the nautical weakness for a mascot. When his flagship was commissioned at the beginning of the war, Lady Jellicoe suggested a cub-lion as his mascot. "No," replied the Admiral, "I'll take a fine old superduper, and have a black cat." The sequel was a run on the black cat, and it is said that now not a single specimen is to be found in Portsmouth.

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In Brazil, where movie pictures are in evidence, the show is held out doors. Spectators sit under palms on moonlight nights, with gentle breezes blowing.

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Women Shipbuilders

Women in Dungarees are Building War Ships for Britain

Old men shake their heads, young men open their eyes, but the women, whom you can count on hundreds, go on working quite unaffected.

A writer, describing his feelings on seeing a woman ship builder, says: "We first came upon her as we strained up to a destroyer to which the finishing touches were being imparted alongside the quays of a busy firm. On the deck stood two sturdy north country women, watch- ing, unconcerned, whilst leaning gracefully, but with the true professional air, upon the handles of sledgeshammers. One would probably have been wrong in deducing that those women wielded those weapons, for the shipyard firms keep a careful watch over their women employees and seek to apportion their work so as to keep all physical strain within close limits.

The women were, however, assisting the men alongside whom they worked in their lighter jobs, and their comradeship and power to co-operate seemed of the happiest.

At a neighboring yard we had quite the pleasantst of shocks on stepping ashore. Arrayed in smart dungarees and aprons, a well-defined waist, encircled by a broad belt, a long tunic, and the usual turned-up trousers, stood a young woman oblivious of our arrival.

We might have passed the young women with equal unconcern had not the noise of our approaching foot-steps aroused the feminine curiosity. It was, indeed, a buxom, fair-headed girl who regarded us over her shoulders, not in the turned-up trousers, the procession, of raised eyebrows, which her appearance momentarily provoked. In our tour of this yard we encountered hundreds of her sisters, all most becoming in their unadorned garments.

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Like a Grip at the Throat. For a disease that is not classed as fatal there is probably none which causes more terrible suffering than asthma. Sleep is impossible, the sufferer becomes exhausted and finally, through the attack passes, is left in unceasing dread of its return. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful curative agent. It immediately relieves the restricted air passages, as thousands can testify. It is sold by dealers everywhere.

Percy was gazing with dreamy eyes into the fire. "Ah, my darling," he murmured, "what matters it that sorrow and trouble must of necessity be lurking in the unknown future? While I am with you I think of naught but the present—the superbly beautiful present!"

"So do I dearest," said Annette. "But you'll take me with you when you buy it, won't you? Men have such queer taste in rings!"

On the completion of the war one of the most important links between Western Europe and the Near East will be the opening of the railway built in Greece for sixteen miles in length—which will connect Paris with Athens. Sixty hours will be thereby gained in transportation to the East.

The commander of the Spitfire was wounded in the recent naval engagement and had a miraculous escape. While on his bridge a shell passed across his chest, and even touched the buttons on his uniform. The shell then struck the signalling apparatus and carried it away along with two men.

"Look at me!" exclaimed a lawyer warmly. "I never took a drop of medicine in my life, and I'm standing up two of your patients put together!" "Well, that's nothing," replied a physician, "I never took a law in my life, and I'm as rich as any two dozen of your clients put together."

Our Commonwealth

"Commonwealth" is a better word than "Empire," and it would be well if "Empire Day" were called "Commonwealth Day." In this war, these great little islands are fighting with the daughter nations for the security and liberty of the British Commonwealth. They are not fighting for conquest and aggression and domination, such as the British Empire has always connoted and always will connote. They are also fighting for the common weal of the Commonwealth of Europe against the military domination of the German Empire. Imperialism is the enemy. In order to beat Prussian Imperialism, we must guard against our own Imperialism in Ireland or South Africa, although they profess to understand what it means in Belgium or Serbia.—London Star.

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Thin blooded people usually have stomach trouble. They seldom recognize the fact that this blood is the cause of the trouble, but it is. In this state of health nothing will more quickly restore the appetite, the digestion, and normal nutrition, than the rich red blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act directly on the blood, making it rich and strong. It supplies the digestive fluids. The first sign of improving health is an improved appetite. The blood makes you feel that you are strong and vigorous instead of irritable and listless. "About three years ago I was seized with a severe attack of indigestion and vomiting. My food seemed to turn sour as soon as I ate it, and I would turn so dizzy and sick that sometimes I would fall on the floor after vomiting. I tried a lot of home remedies, but they did not help me. I then went to a doctor who gave me some powders, but they seemed actually to make my stomach worse. This went on for nearly two months and by that time my stomach was in such weak condition that I could not keep down a drink of water, and I was wasted to a skeleton and felt that life was not worth living. I then married at this time and one Sunday evening on the way to church with my intended husband I was taken with a bad spell on the street. He took me to a drug store where the clerk insisted on my taking a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. By the end of the first week I could feel some improvement from the use of the Pills, and I gladly continued taking them until every symptom of the trouble was gone, and I was again enjoying the best of health. These Pills are now my standby and I tell all my friends what they did for me."

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Irishman Outwits Premier Asquith

A story is told relating to Mr. Asquith's recent visit to Dublin, which is at any rate interesting. He was in conversation with a number of Irishmen and finally, when the subject of what they saw thought of the rebellion.

"Was a great success," said a voice behind him. "How do you make that out?" asked the Prime Minister, turning round. "Why are you here?" replied the speaker.

There entered the office of a busy man in Chicago a stranger of most prosperous appearance. He thus addressed the man at the desk: "You probably don't remember me, but twenty years ago, when I was a poor, humble boy, you gave me a message to carry. 'Yes, you gave me a message to carry. 'I have brought back the answer.'"

The luxurious hotel on the Grand Esplanade of Hamburg has been sold for \$750,000. It cost \$1,500,000 a few years ago. The war conditions brought it to bankruptcy.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

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For Agricultural Workers

American Library Association Devising New Service for Dissemination of Agricultural Information

A scheme to organize the dissemination of agricultural information throughout the country so that all the people may learn of all the research data being published for them in the form of bulletins, periodicals, etc., is the big problem that is engrossing the attention of the agricultural section of the American Library Association now in session at Asbury Park.

It is proposed to not only compile and keep up-to-date a reference guide to all the current official agricultural bulletins in the United States, but to include scientific and popular journals dealing with the problem of agriculture. The official publications of agricultural departments in foreign countries and the leading scientific journal abroad will be included in the service.

The references are to be printed in the form of a book to be placed in the clunky and expensive card catalogue so that the busy researcher can carry it home with him. The movement has back of it the most prominent research workers in the experimental stations and the leading professors in the agricultural colleges.

The rendering of this bibliographical service will herald a new day in the advancement of agricultural work in America. Thousands of invaluable bulletins are issued by state and federal agricultural workers by state and federal agricultural associations, all of which are free and would help the poor farmer, but they are not so rapidly and are issued through the channels of the library. The new bibliographical service is designed to open up to the people.

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Witness my hand and seal of said county, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1916.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Notary Public.

Lloyd George, the Handy Man

Mr. Lloyd George appears to be as much the handy man of the Coalition Government as he was of the Liberal Ministry. When anything has gone more than usually wrong during the past ten years, Mr. Lloyd George has been sent for to set it right, and his odd jobs have ranged from settling a great railway strike and ending miners' strike to organizing the finances of the war and filling the deficiencies of the War Office in the matter of shells and machine guns and big guns. "When in trouble send for Lloyd George," seems to be the guiding maxim of the British government.—London Daily Mail.

The Food of Indigestion—Indigestion is a common ailment and few are free from it. It is a most distressing complaint and the sufferer attending it is most severe. The very best remedy is Farnie's Vegetable Pills taken according to directions. They rectify the irregular action of the stomach and restore healthy action. For many years they have been a standard remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion and are highly esteemed for their qualities.

Fires and War Debts

The question is often asked: How can the European countries carry the burden of their war debts? They can carry a considerable part of that burden by saving where American wastes. Take our fire waste, for example. In the last year for which figures are available the American people paid \$395,549,677 as fire insurance premiums. If our annual fire loss were held down by good construction and good laws to the standards of England, France and Italy, we could save at least \$300,000,000 in premium each year—enough to pay the interest on a debt of \$3,000,000,000.—Chicago Journal.

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Dutch Nurse Tells of Amazing Cruelty of Huns in Belgium

Sœur Martron, the famous Dutch nurse, who wears more decorations and has had more field experience than probably any other Red Cross nurse in Europe, has just arrived in London after working in hospitals from Brussels to Salonika. Speaking of the days of the Belgian invasion she says: "For five days and five nights we worked incessantly, getting the bandages and medical preparations ready and then theory ended, for the wounded began to come in, and they, too, began to know war's grim reality. A neutral, I thought I was safe, but not with the Germans, as I soon found out. A few days after the occupation of Brussels I found myself imprisoned and brought before Marshal von der Goltz. I refused to speak, however. Here is an example of what I saw on my journey, taken from my journal: 'The trains are filled with soldiers hurrying to the front, and all around I heard them boasting of their atrocities. 'We burn a whole street of the beggars who had locked themselves in their cellars.' I heard one say. On this I entered into conversation. How did war feel from the active point of view? I wondered? Two men answered my question. 'Ah, Schwester,' said one, 'it turns a man into a beast. I feel as if I should never be able to become a man again.' Another said, '—and I could see it was true. 'I have lost an eye and an arm, and my leg will probably be amputated, but I would give every other one of my limbs with pleasure if I could get the life of an English soldier for each of them.'"

"This was not the worst thing I came across. After all, I thought, it is acts that show the man, not sentiment. I saw with my own eyes this,—listen to it, you British, any of you who still think well of the Germans!"

Torturing the British
"The train had stopped at Landen, near Liege, and getting out, I went to warn an empty cattle truck around which stood some fifty Germans, who to me appeared as if they were jeering some beasts. To my horror I found that their victims were wounded English soldiers lying in the straw, their wounds gaping red, but dry, showing they had been exposed for days. I pushed my way through to them and gazed into their faces, and to my horror they were covered with spittle and filth, and for a moment I completely lost my head and made for the nearest officer."

"'You brute,' I exclaimed, 'the wounded are sacred throughout the world. How dare you allow your men to behave like that to these heroic Englishmen!'"

"He looked down furiously at me through his glasses, but he saw that I was in earnest, and I continued to plead for them."

"Remember, you are speaking to a German officer," he said.

"Remember, that the wounded are sacred of whatever nationality they are," I replied.

"He did not like it, but he stopped his men, and with that I was allowed to get near the two Tommies who were lying beside their dead comrades. I wiped their poor faces, and never while I live will I forget the look of gratitude in their poor eyes as they kissed my hand. I do not know their names, and they died next day at Aachen, but I swore within myself, 'Some day that deed of German brutality will ring through the British Empire.'"

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.
G. H. McElroy, Sec. Treas.



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JOHN D. HUNT,
Clerk Executive Council.

Empire Defenders.

We print below a list of the men from the Crossfield district who have joined the ranks of our Empire Defenders. Should any names have been omitted and any of our readers be able to supply us with the same we should be glad to include same.

Lieut. Col. R. L. Boyle, 10th Batt.
Killed in Action.
W. G. R. Munnell, Princess Pats., Killed in Action.
Charles Thomas, 9th, Band.
G. J. Urquhart, 12th Mounted Rifles.
John Chessier, " "
Jas. Watt, " "
W. H. Borton, " "
M. Lewis, " "
R. Lewis, " "
D. R. Lewis, " "
Robt. Salter, 31st Batt.
Jerry Fuller, " "
Cyrl Fuller, " "
Perley Courser, " "
L. L. Brown, " "
Lieut. M. L. Boyle, 40th Batt.
Frank Lawack, 60th Batt.
Clyde Sturrock, " "
John Galbraith, " "
S. J. Hunter, " "
R. McDonald, " "
P. G. Swann, 51st Batt.
W. C. Clark, " "
Harry Fenwick, 50th Batt.
Jack Collins, " "
Charles Collins, " "
R. Landsburgh, " "
Fred Blake, " "
C. W. H. Atkinson, Medical Corps.
Bugler J. H. Whitfield, 8th Field Amb.
A. Fraser, 4th Field Amb.
A. R. Y. Dyke, " "
Capt. E. Thorpe
Bert Ostwick
Charlie Knott, 31st Batt.
David Grant, " "
Harry Onslow, " "
G. T. Cornwell, 82nd Batt.
Bert Woledge, " "
Jas. Moss, " "
G. Fisher
J. E. Clinton, 82nd Batt.
Dan McPhie, " "
Hiram Walsh, " "
S. Dawson, 50th Batt.
Serge. Doug. Hall, 97th Batt.
W. A. M. Hallett, 89th Batt.
James Eagleson, 137th Battalion
George Smith, " "
John Todge, 137th Batt.
Lewis Hughes, 137th Batt.
Addison McFadyen, " "
G. Henson
Wm. Merrick, 113th Batt.
John Morrison, 113th Batt.
Joe Robertson, " "
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Frank Mossop, " "
Geo. Yelloweas, " "
Wiel Varnasor, " "
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A. E. Barnes, " "
Gordon Wyatt, " "
Harry Singleton, " "
Jerry Manton, " "
Bob Milne, 137th Batt.
Jack Elliott, " "
Fred Stevens, 138
R. Gentles, 80th Batt.
Wm. Milne, 113th Batt.
A. H. Bailey, 211th
Levi Bone, 187th Batt.
Ivor Lewis, 187th Batt.
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W. Urquhart, " "
Douglas Lee, " "
E. E. Edwards, " "
C. Burgess
Wm. Wilson, " "
R. Forster, " "
B. Cumming, " "
Jas. Cumming, " "
J. Cameron, " "
J. Robinson, " "
A. Landymore, " "
J. Vanhamb, " "
Chas. Oldacre, " "
Dan McFadyen, " "
P. Nicholson, " "
H. McCol, " "
Harold Edward, " "
Art Gilson, " "
O. Alexander, " "

Besides there are some who have very recently moved from here and are well known, and have enlisted elsewhere:
Bruce Knox, 60th Batt.
R. H. Hunter, 13th Mounted
A. C. Witter,
Walter Goodland, 50th Batt. Corporal.
Eugene Smith, 17th Signal Reserve.
Jesse Fike
F. Eyskeloch
J. Levenson
Frank R. Parker, Senr.
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